

# Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 11, 2024

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## MASS INTENTIONS – WEEK OF AUG 12

<b>Mon:</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Cye &amp; Sarah Kelly</b>
<b>Tue:</b>	<b>12:05 pm</b>	<b>Colin R. Craig &amp; Colleen Kiberd</b>
<b>Wed:</b>		<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Thu:</b>	<b>12:05 pm</b>	<b>Special Intention</b>
<b>Fri:</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Sat:</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>	<b>Harry Sabada</b>
<b>Sun:</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>Parishioners of Saint Dunstan's</b>
<b>Sun:</b>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	<b>Cyrene &amp; Madeline Kelly</b>

<b>AUG 04 OFFERINGS</b>	<b>\$ 3407.00</b>
<b>AUG 04 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT</b>	<b>\$ 2380.25</b>
<b>AUG 04 E-TRANSFER COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$ 345.00</b>
<b>AUG 04 FUEL COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$ 687.00</b>
<b>AUG 04 CAPITAL PROJECT</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY

AUTOMATIC DEBIT AND E-TRANSFER are options for those who would like to contribute using those means. Please contact the Parish Office for information.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday: 9 am to noon, 12:30 to 3 pm.

## MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

**1st Reading:** Proverbs 9.1-6  
**2nd Reading:** Ephesians 5.15 -20  
**Gospel:** John 6.51-58

## PARISH NEWS

**ADORATION CHAPEL:** Please contact Jodi or Brady Grant [bradyandjodi@gmail.com](mailto:bradyandjodi@gmail.com) or (902-218-8282). You may request to have a candle burn in the Adoration Chapel. (\$7). Please contact the Office. This week, candles in the Chapel burn for: Souls in Purgatory (1) Prayer for Health (1) Thanksgiving (1) Special Intention (1).

**FUEL COLLECTION** to help defray our yearly heating costs is taken up at the end of each weekend Mass. Envelopes are available with the bulletin monthly. This collection during these non-heating months helps us build up a reserve for the costs during the months when heat is required. Sincere thanks for your ongoing generous support.

**HOLY HOUR:** each First Friday following the 9 am Mass. Intentions of the Church—local and universal—our community, our world, and all of your personal needs are remembered. All welcome!

**MORNING PRAYER:** Mondays and Fridays, 8:35 am

**2024 ENVELOPES:** are available at the church entrance. If there are none there, you may contact the Parish Office 902-894-3486 or [saintdunstans@gmail.com](mailto:saintdunstans@gmail.com) Your financial support is needed and appreciated. Many thanks!

**ROSARIES:** for sale at the Parish Office.

**NOVENA IN HONOUR OF BLESSED FR. MICHAEL MCGIVNEY.** August 4th to 13th, the Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League will honor the K of C Founder, Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney. We invite all parishioners to join us this Tuesday, August 13th at 7:00 PM in the Knights of Columbus room for the concluding day of the novena.

**COR GATHERING.** Join us for the next COR Gathering for Men on **Sunday, August 25, 2024, at 7:00 PM** in the Council 824 Council Chambers. COR is a special initiative for Catholic men that focuses on prayer, faith formation, and building community. It's a great opportunity to come together, deepen your faith, and strengthen your bonds with fellow parishioners. All men of the parish and community are welcome to join us for coffee, donuts, and an evening of prayer and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there!

**LIFT:** A reminder that the lift is available for any who find the steps difficult. Please use the Dorchester St. door. A number is posted by which you may contact a greeter who will gladly assist you.



**HEARING LOOP.** is available in the two centre rows of the church. Please let us know if it is working for you.

## DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY NEWS.

**THE SUMMER PIPE ORGAN CONCERT SERIES CONTINUES:** Tignish born soprano **Robyn Perry** is accompanied by organist **Leo Marchildon** in a program exploring how the Bells of the Angelus have inspired poets and composers in creating music of mystery and transcendence. Debussy and Vierne are among the composers represented **Tuesday, August 13 at 7 pm** in Tignish at the Church of St. Simon and St. Jude. **Wednesday, August 14, 1 pm** St. Dunstan's Basilica. Admission by donation.

**THE ANNUAL QUEEN SQUARE SCHOOL REUNION** will take place on **Friday, August 16** at the Murphy Centre (former Basilica Recreation Centre) at 200 Richmond Street in Charlottetown from **4-7 PM**. Finger foods and refreshments will be available. Former students and teachers are invited to attend.

**COMMUNITY DINNER.** Join us for a Roast Beef Dinner at the Jack Blanchard Centre on **Tuesday, August 25, 2024!** Doors open at 5 PM, and dinner is served at 5:30 PM. Meals are \$18 each. To reserve your spot, call 902-213-1553. Enjoy a great meal and fellowship!

**THE CHARLOTTETOWN ROMAN CATHOLIC CEMETERY:** has two (2) columbaria for cremated remains. Each niche has space for two urns. Pre-payment to book niches will be accepted first come, first served. Contact Irene at the Cemetery office, St. Dunstan's Basilica 902 894 3486

**PILGRIMAGE IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF SAINT PAUL (Only 5 Seats Left):** Journey to Greece and Turkey next Spring, going into the areas in which St. Paul preached the faith in the early days of the Church. This pilgrimage will go into the areas we read about in the Acts of the Apostles. Athens, Thessalonica, Corinth (a cruise to Ephesus and Patmos); and so many more stops and experiences. Pilgrimage will be led by Fr. Andrew Handrahan, **April 29th-May 9th, 2025.** Space is limited; for more information, contact Chelsey at CAA Charlottetown (902-892-1612) or visit: <https://gateway.memberchoicevacations.com/link/1246882>

**CONNOLLY ESTATE BURSARY APPLICATIONS:** Connolly Estate bursaries are open to residents of PEI who can demonstrate that they are Roman Catholic, are Irish in heritage, and have material financial need. Applicants must be full-time students enrolled in an undergraduate program at an accredited university. College students who are completing a joint program / degree must be enrolled in the university portion of their studies to be eligible. You must apply at [www.OwenConnollyestate.com](http://www.OwenConnollyestate.com) before end of day August 31, 2024. If, as of August 31, 2024:

- a. You are under age 22, the applicant and parent's income shall be used to assess financial need;
  - b. You are over age 22, the applicant and spouse's income shall be used to assess financial need.
- Recent bursaries have been in the \$2,000 range but vary depending on investment returns and number of successful applicants. Successful applicants will be notified on December 15, 2024.

*Trust in the Lord with all your heart*

*and lean not on your own*

*understanding;*

*in all your ways submit to him,*

*and he will make*

*your paths straight.*

*Proverbs 3:5-6*